



Frank Howard  
Merchant Navy/British Army  
4<sup>th</sup> Engineer Officer  
Battalion – SS 'Colemere'  
(Out of Manchester)  
Died 22/12/17 Aged 20 Years  
Mercantile Marine Was Medal

Mr and Mrs P Howard, of 64 Spring Street, Bury, have received intimation from the owners of the vessel that their son, Fourth Engineer Frank Howard, was killed through the explosion of a torpedo in the sinking of the vessel by an enemy submarine. Before joining the mercantile service three months ago, Engineer Howard was employed by Messrs. Mills and Co. Radcliffe, and was a member of the football team. He was in his 20<sup>th</sup> Year. His name is on the roll of honour at Bank Street Unitarian Church, which is the place of worship he attended. A brother, Lance-Corporal S Howard, is serving with the Labour battalion.